

The Office of the Governor **Proclamation**

Executive Department State of Idaho State Capitol Boise

WHEREAS, The State of Idaho recognizes the significant work and unique contributions of correctional officers and all other staff employed in adult and juvenile corrections institutions and agencies; and,

WHEREAS, correctional employees risk their own well-being by continually demonstrating true commitment to ensuring our public safety, supervising incarcerated offenders and effectively providing custody and care to sentenced adults and adjudicated juveniles; and

WHEREAS, the morale of correctional officers is affected by many factors, and the public perception of the role of correctional officers is important in the performance of their duties; and

WHEREAS, as public servants, correctional officers dutifully perform their work with courage, pride, and true professionalism;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DIRK KEMPTHORNE, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim the week of May 4 through 10, 2003, to be

CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS WEEK

in Idaho.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this seventh day of February in the year of our Lord two-thousand and three and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred twenty-seventh and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred thirteenth.

DIRK KEMPTHORNE GOVERNOR

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